

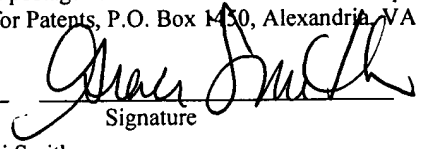


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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

A three-month extension of time from December 11, 2006, up to and including March 11, 2007, is hereby respectfully requested, and a credit card form to cover the fee for such an extension is enclosed. Because March 11, 2007 falls on a Sunday, a response may be timely filed on the next succeeding day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or a federal holiday. Applicant thus submits that the present Response is timely submitted on Monday, March 12, 2007. In view of the small entity status of Applicant, please find enclosed a credit card payment form covering the small entity extension fee of \$510.00.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments that may be required to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

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